

May 8, 2013

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Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.  
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: *Ex Parte* Presentation, GN Docket No. 12-268**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On May 7, 2013, Christopher Guttman-McCabe, Vice President, Regulatory Affairs, CTIA – The Wireless Association® (“CTIA”); Scott Bergmann, Assistant Vice President, Regulatory Affairs, CTIA; Krista Witanowski, Assistant Vice President, Regulatory Affairs, CTIA; Tom Dombrowsky and Eric DeSilva of Wiley Rein; and Lonna Thompson, Executive Vice President, Chief Operating Officer and General Counsel, Association of Public Television Stations, met with Gary Epstein, Senior Advisor and Chair of the Incentive Auctions Taskforce; William Lake, Chief, Media Bureau, Julius Knapp, Chief; Alan Stillwell, Deputy Chief; Bob Weller, Chief, Technical Analysis Branch (Office of Engineering and Technology); Edward Smith, Special Counsel of the Incentive Auctions Taskforce, Rebecca Hanson, Senior Advisor, Broadband Spectrum; Jessica Almond, Chief of Staff, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau; Brett Tarnutzer, Chief Data Officer, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau and William Scher, Assistant General Counsel, Administrative Law Division, Office of General Counsel of the Federal Communications Commission to discuss the Commission’s incentive auction proceeding.

Specifically, we discussed issues related to channel sharing, including legal, technical, and policy issues to facilitate the development of channel sharing as an alternative for broadcast television stations that may want to participate in the auction.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission’s rules,<sup>1</sup> this letter is being electronically filed via ECFS with your office and a copy of this submission is being provided to the meeting attendees. Please let the undersigned know if you have any questions regarding this filing.

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<sup>1</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206.

Sincerely,

*/s/ Krista Witanowski*

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